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## Electioneering takes a backseat

KZN Health MEC, Dr Sibongiseni Dhlomo had to suspend his ANC door-to-door campaigning when he encountered a severely disabled man at a rural village of Annville in the Amajuba District where he is a Political Champion.

The man could not walk and was using his hands and knees to propel himself forward.

I couldn't leave him behind in that state and had to abandon the campaigning for a moment whilst organising him a wheelchair. Indeed it is going to greatly assist him to independently attend to his personal chores without being a burden to anyone, says MEC Dhlomo.

The man and his family appreciated the help and thanked the MEC. He in turn reminded his fellow comrades of the words of former President Nelson Mandela who said: 'A democracy is an order of social equality and non-discrimination. Our compatriots who are disabled challenge us in a very special way to manifest in real life those values of democracy.'



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